REMARKS

Summary Of The Office Action

Claims 1-18 are all the claims pending in the application.

Claims 1, 7, 13 and 18 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Choi (Pub. No. US 2003/0076332 A1) and Klein (USP 6,401,209).

Claims 3, 9, 12 and 15 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Choi and Klein as applied to claims 1, 7, 13 above, and further in view of Matsuda (JP 07-295531).

Claim 17 is objected to but would be allowable if rewritten in independent form.

Analysis of the Rejections

Application No. 10/713,267 and US Patent Publication No. 2003/0076332A1 were, at the time the invention of Application No. 10/713,267 was made, owned by Samsung Electronics Co., LTD. Because Choi is a reference only under 35 U.S.C. § 102(e)/103, Applicant requests the Examiner to remove Choi from being used in a rejection under 35 U.S.C. § 103. Because all the claims are rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103 using Choi as a reference, Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to withdraw all the rejections and to allow all the claims.

In view of the above, reconsideration and allowance of this application are now believed to be in order, and such actions are hereby solicited. If any points remain in issue which the Examiner feels may be best resolved through a personal or telephone interview, the Examiner is kindly requested to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 U.S. APP. NO. 09/973,046

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

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